

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

ISHIKAWA, Mark M.

Serial No.: 09/821,259

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**For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR AUTHENTICATING THE
DISTRIBUTION OF DATA**

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) **Group Art Unit:** 3622

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) **Examiner:** Arthur D. Duran

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) **Customer No.** 34313

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.116

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2006, please enter the following amendments.